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Sent: 8/9/2018 3:13:44 PM
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Subject: Armenia/Port Edwards

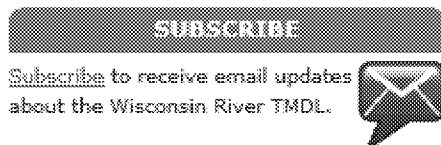
Nancy,

You asked a question regarding blue/green algae and the WI River TMDL. The TMDL addresses phosphorus; however, as part of the analysis, the role of nitrogen was evaluated and it was determined that the phosphorus is driving the algal blooms on Petenwell and the other flowages. The TMDL outline reductions needed to meet water quality standards and calls for reductions from both point sources such as wastewater treatment plants and agricultural sources including fields used by CAFOs such as Central Sands Dairy.

More information about the TMDL study can be found on the DNR website: <https://dnr.wi.gov/topic/tmdls/wisconsinriver/>

There is a public meeting scheduled for August 22, 2018 from 2-4pm at the Portage County Courthouse Annex Building (1462 Strongs Avenue, Stevens Point, WI 54481-2947).

Also, if you would like to stay up to date on the project, please sign-up for gov delivery. A link (shown below) can be found on the website referenced above.



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Kevin:

This email was forwarded to me regarding Lake Petenwell. Can you add Ms. Eggleston to the mailing list for the upcoming meeting?

Thanks!

Dave

From: Nancy Eggleston [<mailto:neegleston@co.wood.wi.us>]
Sent: Wednesday, August 08, 2018 3:27 PM
To: Burdett, Cheryl <burdett.cheryl@epa.gov>; BruceD.Rheineck@wisconsin.gov
Subject: Armenia Water issues

Hi Cheryl and Bruce,
Are any of the Departments involved considering the impacts of nitrates in the Armenia/Port Edwards area on the Wisconsin River flowage, Lake Petenwel, etc? Will the grower's association or the Central Sands Dairy be asked to address that concern as well? Just wondering where we were at with this. Thanks. The Petenwel beaches on the Adams County side were closed due to blue green algae. We had an illness reported after swimming in Lake Arrowhead.
Nancy

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